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INTERNATIONAL LIST OF
DISEASES, INJURIES, AND
CAUSES OF DEATH

(1948 Revision)

AND

LIST OF SYMPTOMATIC AND
INDEFINITE TERMS

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up the Medical Certificates of Cause of Death required
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SUGGESTIONS TO MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS.

The International List of Causes of Death, as revised in 1948, is shown on pages 5-26 of this booklet. It is desirable, in order to enable causes of deaths to be assigned to one of the titles or sub-titles of this list, that medical practitioners should employ as far as possible only those terms recognized in the Nomenclature of the Royal College of Physicians of London. The use of symptomatic and indefinite terms should always be avoided.

The accompanying list of symptomatic and indefinite terms (see pages 26-31) has been compiled to indicate in what respect the terms are unsatisfactory and what further information as to the cause of death is required in each case. A few unobjectionable terms are included in the list for special reasons.

In cases where an indefinite term must be employed because more definite information is lacking, it would be well to indicate this fact in the certificate. This may be done by the use of such words as "idiopathic" or "cryptogenic" which will be understood as indicating that the probable cause of the condition stated is unknown.

When possible it should be stated on the certificate whether the condition was acute or chronic.

MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS' STATEMENT OF CAUSE OF DEATH.

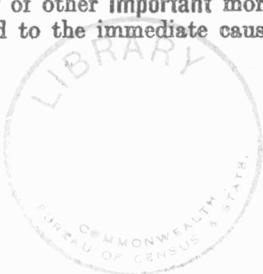
The primary need for medical records of causes of death is to have a clear indication of the disease or injury which initiated the train of events leading to death. Attention can then be directed to the point at which preventive measures may best be applied. Thus, while it is of value to know how many persons died of peritonitis, it is much more valuable to know what clinical conditions produced the peritonitis, for example, appendicitis. Similarly, in the case of a child who died of bronchopneumonia complicating measles, it is the specific infectious disease, namely measles, which is of fundamental interest. Thus, the questions relating to cause of death on the medical certificate are designed to secure the proper sequence of diseases causing death.

The morbid conditions relating to death are divided into two parts on the certificate.

Part I. provides for the entries describing the sequence of events leading to death. If a single statement of the underlying cause will adequately describe the case, e.g., lobar pneumonia, this should be entered on line (a). Where more than one statement is deemed necessary, it is important that the medical practitioner describe the sequence of events leading to death in the following order:—

- (i) The "Immediate Cause" of death, i.e., the disease, injury, or complication which caused death is to be entered on line (a).
- (ii) Other causes antecedent to the "Immediate Cause" are to be entered on lines (b) and (c) in order of causal relationship, the underlying cause (i.e., the first to occur) being the last entry in Part I.

Part II. provides for the entering of other important morbid conditions contributing to death but not related to the immediate cause.



ATTENTION IS ALSO DRAWN TO THE FOLLOWING POINTS OF PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE IN RELATION TO SPECIAL CAUSES OF DEATH.

(a) *Malignant Neoplasms*.—The seat of the primary growth should be indicated in all cases where known. Malignant neoplasms of liver, bronchus, or lung should be specifically designated "primary", "secondary" or "metastatic", or "unknown whether primary or secondary". In all other cases where the seat of primary growth is not known this fact should be indicated on the certificate.

It is particularly requested that terms such as neoplasm should not be used without qualification when intended to indicate malignant neoplasm.

(b) *Maternal Deaths*.—When a death occurs in a female of child-bearing age (approximately from fifteen to fifty years) from any of the causes set out in this section, a note should be made as to whether the disease process was related in any way to pregnancy. The mode of termination of the pregnancy should also be noted. It is essential for purposes of classification to know whether the onset of the disease process preceded the termination of the pregnancy, that is, whether the disease arose in pregnancy, in labour or abortion, or after delivery.

In order therefore, that the mortality attributable to childbirth may be ascertained with precision and also to obviate subsequent correspondence, whenever a female of child-bearing age dies from one of the subjoined causes, the words "of pregnancy", "puerperal", "post partum", &c., or "non-puerperal" should be added.

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|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Abscess of breast. | Pelvic Abscess. |
| ,, ,, ovary. | Pelviperitonitis. |
| Albuminuria. | Peritonitis. |
| Cellulitis. | Phlebitis. |
| Coma. | Phlegmasia alba dolens. |
| Convulsions. | Pyaemia. |
| Eclampsia. | Pyelitis. |
| Embolism. | Pyelonephritis. |
| Erysipelas. | Pyonephrosis. |
| Gastritis. | Salpingitis. |
| Haemorrhage (uterine or unqualified). | Sapremia. |
| Lymphangitis. | Septicaemia. |
| Metritis. | Sudden death. |
| Metroperitonitis. | Tetanus. |
| Metrorrhagia. | Thrombosis. |
| Nephritis. | Uraemia. |

(c) *Accidental Deaths*.—In all cases in which a practitioner certifies an injury as a cause of death the cause of the injury should be stated (e.g., Fractured femur, fall down stairs; Burns, clothing alight). A statement of traumatic rupture or perforation should always be accompanied by the cause (e.g., Rupture of liver, kicked by horse).

(d) *Operations and Deaths under Anaesthetics*.—When death occurs during anaesthesia which is known to have been administered in the course of medical or surgical treatment of pre-existent disease or injury, it is classified to such causes. The disease or condition for which the operation

was performed (e.g., Cholecystectomy, Cholelithiasis) or the purpose for which the anaesthetic was administered (e.g., normal childbirth, or manual examination) should always be stated. Any condition which is post-operative should always be specified as such.

(e) *Immaturity*.—Under the sixth revision of the International Statistical Classification of Causes of Death provision is made for the classification of immaturity with diseases of early infancy. It is desirable, therefore, that in every case of the death of an infant an indication shall be given as to whether the child was born prematurely, stating the birth weight wherever possible.

(f) *Post-mortem Examinations*.—Should a practitioner have occasion to conduct a post-mortem examination for a coroner and be required to complete a "Report of Post-mortem Examination" the cause of death should, if practicable, be set out thereon in the same manner as that provided for in the "Medical Certificate of Cause of Death".

EXAMPLES OF CERTIFYING CAUSE OF DEATH.

| I. | <i>Example 1.</i> | <i>Example 2.</i> |
|--|--|---|
| <i>Immediate cause</i> | (a) Acute nephritis (..... 1 week) due to (b) Scarlet fever (..... 3 weeks) due to (c) | (a) Acute peritonitis (..... 2 days) due to (b) Acute appendicitis (..... 5 days) due to (c) |
| <i>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause</i> (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause) | II. | II. |
| <i>Other morbid conditions</i> (if important) contributing to death but not related to immediate cause | | |
| I. | <i>Example 3.</i> | <i>Example 4.</i> |
| <i>Immediate cause</i> | (a) Broncho-pneumonia (..... 1 day) due to (b) Operation (..... 3 days) due to (c) Strangulated hernia (..... 3 days) | (a) Coma (..... 12 hours) due to (b) Secondary carcinoma of brain (..... weeks) due to (c) Carcinoma of rectum (..... 9 months) |
| <i>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause</i> (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause) | II. | II. |
| <i>Other morbid conditions</i> (if important) contributing to death but not related to immediate cause | Chronic interstitial nephritis (..... 5 years) | |

EXAMPLES OF CERTIFYING CAUSE OF DEATH—*continued.*

| I. | Example 5. | Example 6. |
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| <i>Immediate cause</i> | (a) Pyelonephritis due to (b) Myelitis due to (c) Syphilis | (a) Puerperal eclampsia (onset following delivery) due to (b)..... due to (c)..... |
| <i>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause)</i> | II. | II. |
| <i>Other morbid conditions (if important) contributing to death but not related to immediate cause</i> | | |
| I. | Example 7. | Example 8. |
| <i>Immediate cause</i> | (a) Puerperal eclampsia (onset before delivery) due to (b)..... due to (c)..... | (a) Lobar pneumonia due to (b)..... due to (c)..... |
| <i>Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause)</i> | II. | II. |
| <i>Other morbid conditions (if important) contributing to death but not related to immediate cause</i> | | |

The above deaths would be classified as follows:—Example 1, scarlet fever; example 2, appendicitis; example 3, strangulated hernia; example 4, carcinoma of rectum; example 5, syphilis; example 6, puerperal eclampsia; example 7, eclampsia of pregnancy; example 8, lobar pneumonia.

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I.—INFECTIVE AND PARASITIC DISEASES.

Tuberculosis of respiratory system.

- 001. Respiratory tuberculosis with mention of occupational disease of lung.
- 002. Pulmonary tuberculosis.
- 003. Pleural tuberculosis.
- 004. Primary tuberculosis complex with symptoms.
- 005. Tracheo bronchial glandular tuberculosis with symptoms.
- 006. Radiological evidence suggestive of active respiratory tuberculosis not classifiable elsewhere.
- 007. Other respiratory tuberculosis.
- 008. Tuberculosis, unspecified site.

Tuberculosis, other forms.

- 010. Tuberculosis of meninges and central nervous system.
- 011. Tuberculosis of intestines, peritoneum and mesenteric glands.
- 012. Tuberculosis of bones and joints, active or unspecified.
- 013. Late effects of tuberculosis of bones and joints.
- 014. Tuberculosis of skin and subcutaneous cellular tissue.
- 015. Tuberculosis of lymphatic system.
- 016. Tuberculosis of genito-urinary system.
- 017. Tuberculosis of adrenal glands.
- 018. Tuberculosis of other organs.
- 019. Disseminated tuberculosis.

Syphilis and its sequelae.

- 020. Congenital syphilis.
- 021. Early syphilis.
- 022. Aneurysm of aorta.
- 023. Other cardiovascular syphilis.
- 024. Tabes dorsalis.
- 025. General paralysis of insane.
- 026. Other syphilis of central nervous system.
- 027. Other forms of late syphilis.
- 028. Latent syphilis.
- 029. Syphilis, unqualified.

Gonococcal infection and other venereal diseases.

- 030. Acute or unspecified gonorrhoea.
- 031. Chronic gonococcal infection of genito-urinary system.
- 032. Gonococcal infection of joint.
- 033. Gonococcal infection of eye.
- 034. Gonococcal infection of other sites.
- 035. Late effects of gonococcal infection.
- 036. Chancroid.
- 037. Lymphogranuloma venereum.
- 038. Granuloma inguinale, venereal.
- 039. Other and unspecified venereal diseases.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

Infectious diseases commonly arising in intestinal tract.

- 040. Typhoid fever.
- 041. Paratyphoid fever.
- 042. Other *Salmonella* infections.
- 043. Cholera.
- 044. Brucellosis (undulant fever).
- 045. Bacillary dysentery.
- 046. Amoebiasis.
- 047. Other protozoal dysentery.
- 048. Unspecified forms of dysentery.
- 049. Food poisoning (infection and intoxication).

Other bacterial diseases.

- 050. Scarlet fever.
- 051. Streptococcal sore throat.
- 052. Erysipelas.
- 053. Septicaemia and pyaemia.
- 054. Bacterial toxæmia.
- 055. Diphtheria.
- 056. Whooping cough.
- 057. Meningococcal infections.
- 058. Plague.
- 059. Tularaemia.
- 060. Leprosy.
- 061. Tetanus.
- 062. Anthrax.
- 063. Gas gangrene.
- 064. Other bacterial diseases.

Spirochaetal diseases, except syphilis.

- 070. Vincent's infection.
- 071. Relapsing fever.
- 072. Leptospirosis icterohaemorrhagica (Weil's disease).
- 073. Yaws.
- 074. Other spirochaetal and leptospirochaetal infections.

Diseases attributable to viruses.

- 080. Acute poliomyelitis.
- 081. Late effects of acute poliomyelitis.
- 082. Acute infectious encephalitis.
- 083. Late effects of acute infectious encephalitis.
- 084. Smallpox.
- 085. Measles.
- 086. Rubella (German measles).
- 087. Chickenpox.
- 088. Herpes zoster.
- 089. Mumps.
- 090. Dengue.
- 091. Yellow fever.
- 092. Infectious hepatitis.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

- 093. Glandular fever (infectious mononucleosis)
- 094. Rabies.
- 095. Trachoma.
- 096. Other diseases attributable to viruses.

Typhus and other rickettsial diseases.

- 100. Louse-borne epidemic typhus.
- 101. Flea-borne endemic typhus (murine).
- 102. Brill's disease, not specific as louse- or flea-borne typhus.
- 103. Tabardillo (Mexican typhus), not specified as louse- or flea-borne.
- 104. Tick-borne typhus.
- 105. Mite-borne typhus.
- 106. Wolhynian fever (trench fever).
- 107. Typhus, unspecified.
- 108. Other rickettsial diseases.

Malaria.

- 110. Vivax malaria (benign tertian).
- 111. Malariae malaria (quartan).
- 112. Falciparum malaria (malignant tertian).
- 113. Ovale malaria.
- 114. Mixed malarial infections.
- 115. Blackwater fever.
- 116. Other and unspecified forms of malaria.
- 117. Recurrent induced malaria.

Other infective and parasitic diseases.

- 120. Leishmaniasis.
- 121. Trypanosomiasis.
- 122. Other protozoal diseases.
- 123. Schistosomiasis.
- 124. Other trematode infestation.
- 125. Hydatid disease—
 - (a) Liver.
 - (b) Other organs.
- 126. Other cestode infestation.
- 127. Filariasis.
- 128. Trichiniasis.
- 129. Ankylostomiasis.
- 130. Infestation with worms of other, mixed, and unspecified type.
- 131. Dermatophytosis.
- 132. Actinomycosis.
- 133. Coccidioidomycosis.
- 134. Other fungus infections.
- 135. Scabies.
- 136. Pediculosis.
- 137. Other arthropod infestation.
- 138. Other infective and parasitic diseases.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

II.—NEOPLASMS.

Malignant neoplasm of buccal cavity and pharynx.

140. Malignant neoplasm of lip.
141. Malignant neoplasm of tongue.
142. Malignant neoplasm of salivary gland.
143. Malignant neoplasm of floor of mouth.
144. Malignant neoplasm of other parts of mouth and mouth unspecified.
145. Malignant neoplasm of oral mesopharynx.
146. Malignant neoplasm of nasopharynx.
147. Malignant neoplasm of hypopharynx.
148. Malignant neoplasm of pharynx unspecified.

Malignant neoplasm of digestive organs and peritoneum.

150. Malignant neoplasm of oesophagus.
151. Malignant neoplasm of stomach.
152. Malignant neoplasm of small intestine including duodenum.
153. Malignant neoplasm of large intestine except rectum—
 - (a) Appendix.
 - (b) Caecum.
 - (c) Caput coli.
 - (d) Colon and large intestine.
 - (e) Hepatic flexure.
 - (f) Iliocaecum.
 - (g) Sigmoid flexure.
 - (h) Splenic flexure.
154. Malignant neoplasm of rectum.
155. Malignant neoplasm of biliary passages and of liver (primary).
156. Malignant neoplasm of liver (secondary and unspecified).
157. Malignant neoplasm of pancreas.
158. Malignant neoplasm of peritoneum.
159. Malignant neoplasm of unspecified digestive organs.

Malignant neoplasm of respiratory system.

160. Malignant neoplasm of nose, nasal cavities, middle ear and accessory sinuses.
161. Malignant neoplasm of larynx.
162. Malignant neoplasm of trachea and of bronchus and lung specified as primary.
163. Malignant neoplasm of lung and bronchus unspecified as to whether primary or secondary.
164. Malignant neoplasm of mediastinum.
165. Malignant neoplasm of thoracic organs (secondary).

Malignant neoplasm of breast and genito-urinary organs.

170. Malignant neoplasm of breast.
171. Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri.
172. Malignant neoplasm of corpus uteri.
173. Malignant neoplasm of other parts of uterus including chorionepithelioma.
174. Malignant neoplasm of uterus, unspecified.
175. Malignant neoplasm of ovary, Fallopian tube and broad ligament.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

- 176. Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified female genital organs.
- 177. Malignant neoplasm of prostate.
- 178. Malignant neoplasm of testis.
- 179. Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified male genital organs.
- 180. Malignant neoplasm of kidney.
- 181. Malignant neoplasm of bladder and other urinary organs.

Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified sites.

- 190. Malignant melanoma of skin.
- 191. Malignant neoplasm of skin.
- 192. Malignant neoplasm of eye.
- 193. Malignant neoplasm of brain and other parts of nervous system.
- 194. Malignant neoplasm of thyroid gland.
- 195. Malignant neoplasm of other endocrine glands.
- 196. Malignant neoplasm of bone (including jaw bone).
- 197. Malignant neoplasm of connective tissue.
- 198. Secondary and unspecified malignant neoplasm of lymph nodes.
- 199. Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified sites.

Neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissues.

- 200. Lymphosarcoma and reticulosarcoma.
- 201. Hodgkin's disease.
- 202. Other forms of lymphoma (reticulosi).
- 203. Multiple myeloma (plasmocytoma).
- 204. Leukaemia and aleukaemia.
- 205. Mycosis fungoides.

Benign neoplasm.

- 210. Benign neoplasm of buccal cavity and pharynx.
- 211. Benign neoplasm of other parts of digestive system.
- 212. Benign neoplasm of respiratory system.
- 213. Benign neoplasm of breast.
- 214. Uterine fibromyoma.
- 215. Other benign neoplasm of uterus.
- 216. Benign neoplasm of ovary.
- 217. Benign neoplasm of other female genital organs.
- 218. Benign neoplasm of male genital organs.
- 219. Benign neoplasm of kidney and other urinary organs.
- 220. Benign melanoma of skin.
- 221. Pilonidal cyst.
- 222. Other benign neoplasm of skin.
- 223. Benign neoplasm of brain and other parts of nervous system.
- 224. Benign neoplasm of endocrine glands.
- 225. Benign neoplasm of bone and cartilage.
- 226. Lipoma.
- 227. Other benign neoplasm of muscular and connective tissue.
- 228. Haemangioma and lymphangioma.
- 229. Benign neoplasm of other and unspecified organs and tissues.

Neoplasm of unspecified nature.

- 230. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of digestive organs.
- 231. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of respiratory organs.
- 232. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of breast.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.*

- 233. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of uterus.
- 234. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of ovary.
- 235. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of other female genital organs.
- 236. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of other genito-urinary organs.
- 237. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of brain and other parts of nervous system.
- 238. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of skin and musculoskeletal system.
- 239. Neoplasm of unspecified nature of other and unspecified organs.

III.—ALLERGIC, ENDOCRINE SYSTEM, METABOLIC, AND NUTRITIONAL DISEASES.

Allergic disorders.

- 240. Hay fever.
- 241. Asthma.
- 242. Angioneurotic oedema.
- 243. Urticaria.
- 244. Allergic eczema.
- 245. Other allergic disorders.

Diseases of thyroid gland.

- 250. Simple goitre.
- 251. Nontoxic nodular goitre.
- 252. Thyrotoxicosis with or without goitre.
- 253. Myxoedema and cretinism.
- 254. Other diseases of thyroid gland.

Diabetes mellitus.

- 260. Diabetes mellitus.

Diseases of other endocrine glands.

- 270. Disorders of pancreatic internal secretion other than diabetes mellitus.
- 271. Diseases of parathyroid gland.
- 272. Diseases of pituitary gland.
- 273. Diseases of thymus gland.
- 274. Diseases of adrenal glands.
- 275. Ovarian dysfunction.
- 276. Testicular dysfunction.
- 277. Polyglandular dysfunction and other diseases of endocrine glands.

Avitaminoses, and other metabolic diseases.

- 280. Beri beri.
- 281. Pellagra.
- 282. Scurvy.
- 283. Active rickets.
- 284. Late effects of rickets.
- 285. Osteomalacia.
- 286. Other avitaminoses and nutritional deficiency states.
- 287. Obesity, not specified as of endocrine origin.
- 288. Gout.
- 289. Other metabolic diseases.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

IV.—DISEASES OF THE BLOOD AND BLOOD-FORMING ORGANS.

Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs.

- 290. Pernicious and other hyperchromic anaemias.
- 291. Iron deficiency anaemias (hypochromic anaemias).
- 292. Other anaemias of specified type.
- 293. Anaemia of unspecified type.
- 294. Polycythaemia.
- 295. Haemophilia.
- 296. Purpura and other haemorrhagic conditions.
- 297. Agranulocytosis.
- 298. Diseases of spleen.
- 299. Other diseases of blood and blood-forming organs.

V.—MENTAL, PSYCHONEUROTIC, AND PERSONALITY DISORDERS.

Psychoses.

- 300. Schizophrenic disorders (dementia praecox).
- 301. Manic-depressive reaction.
- 302. Involutional melancholia.
- 303. Paranoia and paranoid states.
- 304. Senile psychosis.
- 305. Presenile psychosis.
- 306. Psychosis with cerebral arteriosclerosis.
- 307. Alcoholic psychosis.
- 308. Psychosis of other demonstrable etiology.
- 309. Other and unspecified psychoses.

Psychoneurotic disorders.

- 310. Anxiety reaction without mention of somatic symptoms.
- 311. Hysterical reaction without mention of anxiety reaction.
- 312. Phobic reaction.
- 313. Obsessive-compulsive reaction.
- 314. Neurotic-depressive reaction.
- 315. Psychoneurosis with somatic symptoms (somatization reaction) affecting circulatory system.
- 316. Psychoneurosis with somatic symptoms (somatization reaction) affecting digestive system.
- 317. Psychoneurosis with somatic symptoms (somatization reaction) affecting other systems.
- 318. Psychoneurotic disorders, other, mixed, and unspecified types.

Disorders of character, behaviour and intelligence.

- 320. Pathological personality.
- 321. Immature personality.
- 322. Alcoholism.
- 323. Other drug addiction.
- 324. Primary childhood behaviour disorders.
- 325. Mental deficiency.
- 326. Other and unspecified character, behaviour and intelligence disorders.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

VI.—DISORDERS OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND SENSE ORGANS.

Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system.

- 330. Subarachnoid haemorrhage.
- 331. Cerebral haemorrhage.
- 332. Cerebral embolism and thrombosis.
- 333. Spasm of cerebral arteries.
- 334. Other and ill-defined vascular lesions affecting central nervous system.

Inflammatory diseases of central nervous system.

- 340. Meningitis, except meningococcal and tuberculous.
- 341. Phlebitis and thrombophlebitis of intracranial venous sinuses.
- 342. Intracranial and intraspinal abscess.
- 343. Encephalitis, myelitis, and encephalomyelitis (except acute infectious).
- 344. Late effects of intracranial abscess or pyogenic infection.
- 345. Multiple sclerosis.

Other diseases of central nervous system.

- 350. Paralysis agitans.
- 351. Cerebral spastic infantile paralysis.
- 352. Other cerebral paralysis.
- 353. Epilepsy.
- 354. Migraine.
- 355. Other diseases of brain.
- 356. Motor neurone disease and muscular atrophy.
- 357. Other diseases of spinal cord.

Diseases of nerves and peripheral ganglia.

- 360. Facial paralysis.
- 361. Trigeminal neuralgia.
- 362. Brachial neuritis.
- 363. Sciatica.
- 364. Polyneuritis and polyradiculitis.
- 365. Erythroedema polyneuritica.
- 366. Other and unspecified forms of neuralgia and neuritis.
- 367. Other diseases of cranial nerves.
- 368. Other diseases of peripheral nerves except autonomic.
- 369. Diseases of peripheral autonomic nervous system.

Inflammatory diseases of eye.

- 370. Conjunctivitis and ophthalmia.
- 371. Blepharitis.
- 372. Hordeolum (stye).
- 373. Iritis.
- 374. Keratitis.
- 375. Choroiditis.
- 376. Other inflammation of uveal tract.
- 377. Inflammation of optic nerve and retina.
- 378. Inflammation of lachrymal glands and ducts.
- 379. Other inflammatory diseases of eye.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.**Other diseases and conditions of eye.*

- 380. Refractive errors.
- 381. Corneal ulcer.
- 382. Corneal opacity.
- 383. Pterygium.
- 384. Strabismus.
- 385. Cataract.
- 386. Detachment of retina.
- 387. Glaucoma.
- 388. Other diseases of eye.
- 389. Blindness.

Diseases of ear and mastoid process.

- 390. Otitis externa.
- 391. Otitis media, without mention of mastoiditis.
- 392. Otitis media with mastoiditis.
- 393. Mastoiditis, without mention of otitis media.
- 394. Other inflammatory diseases of ear.
- 395. Ménières disease.
- 396. Other diseases of ear and mastoid process.
- 397. Deaf mutism.
- 398. Other deafness.

VII.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.

Rheumatic fever.

- 400. Rheumatic fever without mention of heart involvement.
- 401. Rheumatic fever with heart involvement.
- 402. Chorea.

Chronic rheumatic heart disease.

- 410. Diseases of mitral valve.
- 411. Diseases of aortic valve specified as rheumatic.
- 412. Diseases of tricuspid valve.
- 413. Diseases of pulmonary valve specified as rheumatic.
- 414. Other endocarditis specified as rheumatic.
- 415. Other myocarditis specified as rheumatic.
- 416. Other heart disease specified as rheumatic.

Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease.

- 420. Arteriosclerotic heart disease, including coronary disease.
- 421. Chronic endocarditis not specified as rheumatic.
- 422. Other myocardial degeneration.

Other diseases of heart.

- 430. Acute and sub-acute endocarditis.
- 431. Acute myocarditis not specified as rheumatic.
- 432. Acute pericarditis specified as non-rheumatic.
- 433. Functional disease of heart.
- 434. Other and unspecified diseases of heart.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.**Hypertensive disease.*

- 440. Essential benign hypertension with heart disease.
- 441. Essential malignant hypertension with heart disease.
- 442. Hypertensive heart disease with arteriolar nephrosclerosis.
- 443. Other and unspecified hypertensive heart disease.
- 444. Essential benign hypertension without mention of heart.
- 445. Essential malignant hypertension without mention of heart.
- 446. Hypertension with arteriolar nephrosclerosis without mention of heart.
- 447. Other hypertensive disease without mention of heart.

Diseases of arteries.

- 450. General arteriosclerosis.
- 451. Aortic aneurysm specified as non-syphilitic, and dissecting aneurysm.
- 452. Other aneurysm, except of heart and aorta.
- 453. Peripheral vascular disease.
- 454. Arterial embolism and thrombosis.
- 455. Gangrene of unspecified cause.
- 456. Other diseases of arteries.

Diseases of veins and other diseases of circulatory system.

- 460. Varicose veins of lower extremities.
- 461. Haemorrhoids.
- 462. Varicose veins of other specified sites.
- 463. Phlebitis and thrombophlebitis of lower extremities.
- 464. Phlebitis and thrombophlebitis of other sites.
- 465. Pulmonary embolism and infarction.
- 466. Other venous embolism and thrombosis.
- 467. Other diseases of circulatory system.
- 468. Certain diseases of lymph nodes and lymph channels.

VIII.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.

Acute upper respiratory infections.

- 470. Acute nasopharyngitis (common cold).
- 471. Acute sinusitis.
- 472. Acute pharyngitis.
- 473. Acute tonsillitis.
- 474. Acute laryngitis and tracheitis.
- 475. Acute upper respiratory infection of multiple or unspecified sites.

Influenza.

- 480. Influenza with pneumonia.
- 481. Influenza with other respiratory manifestations, and influenza unqualified.
- 482. Influenza with digestive manifestations, but without respiratory symptoms.
- 483. Influenza with nervous manifestations, but without digestive or respiratory symptoms.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.**Pneumonia.*

- 490. Lobar pneumonia.
- 491. Bronchopneumonia.
- 492. Primary atypical pneumonia.
- 493. Pneumonia, other and unspecified.

Bronchitis.

- 500. Acute bronchitis.
- 501. Bronchitis unqualified.
- 502. Chronic bronchitis.

Other diseases of respiratory system.

- 510. Hypertrophy of tonsils and adenoids.
- 511. Peritonsillar abscess (quinsy).
- 512. Chronic pharyngitis and nasopharyngitis.
- 513. Chronic sinusitis.
- 514. Deflected nasal septum.
- 515. Nasal polyp.
- 516. Chronic laryngitis.
- 517. Other diseases of upper respiratory tract.
- 518. Empyema.
- 519. Pleurisy.
- 520. Spontaneous pneumothorax.
- 521. Abscess of lung.
- 522. Pulmonary congestion and hypostasis.
- 523. Pneumoconiosis due to silica and silicates (occupational).
- 524. Other specified pneumoconiosis and pulmonary fibrosis of occupational origin.
- 525. Other chronic interstitial pneumonia.
- 526. Bronchiectasis.
- 527. Other diseases of lung and pleural cavity.

IX.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.

Diseases of buccal cavity and oesophagus.

- 530. Dental caries.
- 531. Abscesses of supporting structures of teeth.
- 532. Other inflammatory diseases of supporting structures of teeth.
- 533. Disorders of occlusion, eruption and tooth development.
- 534. Toothache from unspecified cause.
- 535. Other diseases of teeth and supporting structures.
- 536. Stomatitis.
- 537. Diseases of salivary glands.
- 538. Other diseases of buccal cavity.
- 539. Diseases of oesophagus.

Diseases of stomach and duodenum.

- 540. Ulcer of stomach.
- 541. Ulcer of duodenum.
- 542. Gastrojejunal ulcer.
- 543. Gastritis and duodenitis.
- 544. Disorders of function of stomach.
- 545. Other diseases of stomach and duodenum.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.**Appendicitis.*

- 550. Acute appendicitis.
- 551. Appendicitis unqualified.
- 552. Other appendicitis.
- 553. Other diseases of appendix.

Hernia of abdominal cavity.

- 560. Hernia of abdominal cavity without mention of obstruction.
- 561. Hernia of abdominal cavity with obstruction.

Other diseases of intestines and peritoneum.

- 570. Intestinal obstruction without mention of hernia.
- 571. Gastro-enteritis and colitis, except ulcerative, age four weeks and over.
- 572. Chronic enteritis and ulcerative colitis.
- 573. Functional disorders of intestines.
- 574. Anal fissure and fistula.
- 575. Abscess of anal and rectal regions.
- 576. Peritonitis.
- 577. Peritoneal adhesion.
- 578. Other diseases of intestines and peritoneum.

Diseases of liver, gallbladder, and pancreas.

- 580. Acute and sub-acute yellow atrophy of liver.
- 581. Cirrhosis of liver.
- 582. Suppurative hepatitis and liver abscess.
- 583. Other diseases of liver.
- 584. Cholelithiasis.
- 585. Cholecystitis without mention of calculi.
- 586. Other diseases of gallbladder and biliary ducts.
- 587. Diseases of pancreas.

X.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM.

Nephritis and nephrosis.

- 590. Acute nephritis.
- 591. Nephritis with oedema, including nephrosis.
- 592. Chronic nephritis.
- 593. Nephritis not specified as acute or chronic.
- 594. Other renal sclerosis.

Other diseases of urinary system.

- 600. Infections of kidney.
- 601. Hydronephrosis.
- 602. Calculi of kidney and ureter.
- 603. Other diseases of kidney and ureter.
- 604. Calculi of other parts of urinary system.
- 605. Cystitis.
- 606. Other diseases of bladder.
- 607. Urethritis (non-venereal).
- 608. Stricture of urethra.
- 609. Other diseases of urethra.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.*Diseases of male genital organs.*

- 610. Hyperplasia of prostate.
- 611. Prostatitis.
- 612. Other diseases of prostate.
- 613. Hydrocele.
- 614. Orchitis and epididymitis.
- 615. Redundant prepuce and phimosis.
- 616. Sterility, male.
- 617. Other diseases of male genital organs.

Diseases of breast, ovary, Fallopian tube, and parametrium.

- 620. Chronic cystic disease of breast.
- 621. Other diseases of breast.
- 622. Acute salpingitis and oophoritis.
- 623. Chronic salpingitis and oophoritis.
- 624. Salpingitis and oophoritis, unqualified.
- 625. Other diseases of ovary and Fallopian tube.
- 626. Diseases of parametrium and pelvic peritoneum (female).

Diseases of uterus and other female genital organs.

- 630. Infective disease of uterus, vagina and vulva.
- 631. Uterovaginal prolapse.
- 632. Malposition of uterus.
- 633. Other diseases of uterus.
- 634. Disorders of menstruation.
- 635. Menopausal symptoms.
- 636. Sterility, female.
- 637. Other diseases of female genital organs.

XI.—DELIVERIES AND COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH AND THE PUERPERIUM.*Complications of pregnancy.*

- 640. Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy.
- 641. Other infections of genito-urinary tract during pregnancy.
- 642. Toxaemias of pregnancy.
- 643. Placenta praevia.
- 644. Other haemorrhage of pregnancy.
- 645. Ectopic pregnancy.
- 646. Anaemia of pregnancy.
- 647. Pregnancy with malposition of foetus in uterus.
- 648. Other complications arising from pregnancy.
- 649. Pregnancy associated with other conditions.

Abortion.

- 650. Abortion without mention of sepsis or toxæmia—
 - (a) Spontaneous or unspecified.
 - (b) Induced for medical or legal indications.
 - (c) Induced for other reasons.
 - (d) Other.

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651. Abortion with sepsis—
 (a) Spontaneous or unspecified.
 (b) Induced for medical or legal indications.
 (c) Induced for other reasons.
 (d) Other.
652. Abortion with toxæmia, without mention of sepsis—
 (a) Spontaneous or unspecified.
 (b) Induced for medical or legal indications.
 (c) Induced for other reasons.
 (d) Other.

Delivery without complication.

660. Delivery without complication.

Delivery with specified complication.

670. Delivery complicated by placenta praevia or ante-partum haemorrhage.
671. Delivery complicated by retained placenta.
672. Delivery complicated by other post-partum haemorrhage.
673. Delivery complicated by abnormality of bony pelvis.
674. Delivery complicated by disproportion or malposition of foetus.
675. Delivery complicated by prolonged labour of other origin.
676. Delivery with laceration of perineum, without mention of other laceration.
677. Delivery with other trauma.
678. Delivery with other complications of childbirth.

Complications of the puerperium.

680. Puerperal urinary infection without other sepsis.
681. Sepsis of childbirth and the puerperium.
682. Puerperal phlebitis and thrombosis.
683. Pyrexia of unknown origin during the puerperium.
684. Puerperal pulmonary embolism.
685. Puerperal eclampsia.
686. Other forms of puerperal toxæmia.
687. Cerebral haemorrhage in the puerperium.
688. Other and unspecified complications of the puerperium.
689. Mastitis and other disorders of lactation.

XII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND CELLULAR TISSUE.*Infections of skin and subcutaneous tissue.*

690. Boil and carbuncle.
691. Cellulitis of finger and toe.
692. Other cellulitis and abscess without mention of lymphangitis.
693. Other cellulitis and abscess with lymphangitis.
694. Acute lymphadenitis.
695. Impetigo.
696. Infectious warts.
697. Molluscum contagiosum.
698. Other local infections of skin and subcutaneous tissue.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—*continued.**Other diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue.*

- 700. Seborrhoeic dermatitis.
- 701. Eczema.
- 702. Occupational dermatitis.
- 703. Other dermatitis.
- 704. Pemphigus.
- 705. Erythematous conditions.
- 706. Psoriasis and similar disorders.
- 707. Lichen planus.
- 708. Pruritus and related conditions.
- 709. Corns and callosities.
- 710. Other hypertrophic and atrophic conditions of skin.
- 711. Other dermatoses.
- 712. Diseases of nail.
- 713. Diseases of hair and hair follicles.
- 714. Diseases of sweat and sebaceous glands.
- 715. Chronic ulcer of skin.
- 716. Other diseases of skin.

XIII.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND ORGANS OF MOVEMENT.

Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever.

- 720. Acute arthritis due to pyogenic organisms.
- 721. Acute nonpyogenic arthritis.
- 722. Rheumatoid arthritis and allied conditions.
- 723. Osteo-arthritis (arthrosis) and allied conditions.
- 724. Other specified forms of arthritis.
- 725. Arthritis, unspecified.
- 726. Muscular rheumatism.
- 727. Rheumatism unspecified.

Osteomyelitis and other diseases of bone and joint.

- 730. Osteomyelitis and periostitis.
- 731. Osteitis deformans.
- 732. Osteochondrosis.
- 733. Other diseases of bone.
- 734. Internal derangement of knee joint.
- 735. Displacement of intervertebral disc.
- 736. Affection of sacro-iliac joint.
- 737. Ankylosis of joint.
- 738. Other diseases of joint.

Other diseases of musculo-skeletal system.

- 740. Bunion.
- 741. Synovitis, bursitis, and tenosynovitis without mention of occupational origin.
- 742. Synovitis, bursitis, and tenosynovitis of occupational origin.
- 743. Infective myositis and other inflammatory diseases of tendon and fascia.
- 744. Other diseases of muscle, tendon, and fascia.
- 745. Curvature of spine.

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- 746. Flat foot.
- 747. Hallux valgus and varus.
- 748. Clubfoot.
- 749. Other deformities.

XIV.—CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS.

Congenital malformations.

- 750. Monstrosity.
- 751. Spina bifida and meningocele.
- 752. Congenital hydrocephalus.
- 753. Other congenital malformations of nervous system and sense organs.
- 754. Congenital malformations of circulatory system.
- 755. Cleft palate and harelip.
- 756. Congenital malformations of digestive system.
- 757. Congenital malformations of genito-urinary system.
- 758. Congenital malformations of bone and joint.
- 759. Other and unspecified congenital malformations, not elsewhere classified.

XV.—CERTAIN DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.

Birth injuries, asphyxia, and infections of newborn.

- 760. Intracranial and spinal injury at birth—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 761. Other birth injury—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 762. Post-natal asphyxia and atelectasis—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 763. Pneumonia of newborn—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 764. Diarrhoea of newborn—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 765. Ophthalmia neonatorum—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 766. Pemphigus neonatorum—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 767. Umbilical sepsis—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
- 768. Other sepsis of newborn—
 - (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.

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769. Neonatal disorders arising from maternal toxæmia—
- (a) Attributed to "toxæmia of pregnancy", without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) Attributed to maternal diabetes, without mention of immaturity.
 - (c) Attributed to maternal rubella, without mention of immaturity.
 - (d) Attributed to toxoplasmosis, without mention of immaturity.
 - (e) Attributed to other or unspecified maternal toxæmia, without mention of immaturity.
 - (f) Attributed to "toxæmia of pregnancy", with immaturity.
 - (g) Attributed to maternal diabetes, with immaturity.
 - (h) Attributed to maternal rubella, with immaturity.
 - (i) Attributed to toxoplasmosis, with immaturity.
 - (j) Attributed to other or unspecified maternal toxæmia, with immaturity.

Other diseases peculiar to early infancy.

770. Haemolytic disease of newborn (erythroblastosis)—
- (a) Erythroblastosis, without mention of nervous affection or immaturity.
 - (b) Kernicterus, without mention of immaturity.
 - (c) Erythroblastosis, with disorder of liver other than icterus gravis, without mention of immaturity.
 - (d) Erythroblastosis, without mention of nervous affection but with immaturity.
 - (e) Kernicterus with immaturity.
 - (f) Erythroblastosis with disorder of liver other than icterus gravis, with immaturity.
771. Haemorrhagic disease of newborn—
- (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
772. Nutritional maladjustment—
- (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
773. Ill-defined diseases peculiar to early infancy—
- (a) Without mention of immaturity.
 - (b) With immaturity.
774. Immaturity with mention of any other subsidiary condition.
775. Immaturity subsidiary to some other cause.
776. Immaturity unqualified.

XVI.—SYMPTOMS, SENILITY AND ILL-DEFINED CONDITIONS.

Symptoms referable to systems or organs.

780. Certain symptoms referable to nervous system and special senses.
781. Other symptoms referable to nervous system and special senses.
782. Symptoms referable to cardio-vascular and lymphatic system.
783. Symptoms referable to respiratory system.
784. Symptoms referable to upper gastro-intestinal tract.
785. Symptoms referable to abdomen and lower gastro-intestinal system.

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- 786. Symptoms referable to genito-urinary system.
- 787. Symptoms referable to limbs and back.
- 788. Other general symptoms.
- 789. Abnormal urinary constituents of unspecified cause.

Senility and ill-defined diseases.

- 790. Nervousness and debility.
- 791. Headache.
- 792. Uraemia unqualified.
- 793. Observation, without need for further medical care.
- 794. Senility without mention of psychosis.
- 795. Ill-defined and unknown causes of morbidity and mortality.

XVII.—ACCIDENTS, POISONINGS, AND VIOLENCE.

Railway accidents.

- 800. Railway accident involving railroad employee.
- 801. Railway accident involving passenger.
- 802. Railway accident involving other and unspecified person.

Motor vehicle traffic accidents.

- 810. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with railway train.
- 811. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with tram car.
- 812. Motor vehicle traffic accident to pedestrian.
- 813. Motor vehicle traffic accident to pedal cyclist.
- 814. Motor vehicle traffic accident to rider or passenger of motor cycle, in collision with non-motor vehicle or object.
- 815. Motor vehicle traffic accident to rider or passenger of motor cycle in collision with other motor vehicle.
- 816. Other motor vehicle traffic accident involving two or more motor vehicles.
- 817. Motor vehicle traffic accident to occupant of motor vehicle in collision with pedestrian or pedal cycle.
- 818. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with animal or animal-drawn vehicle.
- 819. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving collision with fixed or unspecified object.
- 820. Motor vehicle traffic accident while boarding and alighting.
- 821. Motor vehicle traffic accident to rider of motor cycle not involving collision.
- 822. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving overturning in roadway.
- 823. Motor vehicle traffic accident involving running off roadway.
- 824. Other non-collision motor vehicle traffic accident.
- 825. Motor vehicle traffic accident of unspecified nature.

Motor vehicle non-traffic accidents.

- 830. Motor vehicle non-traffic accident to pedestrian.
- 831. Motor vehicle non-traffic accident to pedal cyclist.
- 832. Motor vehicle non-traffic accident to rider or passenger of motor cycle.

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- 833. Other motor vehicle non-traffic accident involving two or more motor vehicles.
- 834. Motor vehicle non-traffic accident while boarding and alighting.
- 835. Motor vehicle non-traffic accident of other and unspecified nature.

Other road vehicle accidents.

- 840. Tram car accident to pedestrian.
- 841. Other tram car accident, except collision with motor vehicle.
- 842. Accident to pedestrian caused by pedal cycle.
- 843. Accident to rider of pedal cycle not involving collision with a motor vehicle.
- 844. Accident to pedestrian caused by other non-motor road vehicle.
- 845. Other non-motor road vehicle accidents.

Water transport accidents.

- 850. Submersion of occupant of small boat.
- 851. Other water transport injury by submersion.
- 852. Fall on stairs and ladders in water transport.
- 853. Other falls from one level to another in water transport.
- 854. Falls on same level in water transport.
- 855. Unspecified falls in water transport.
- 856. Machinery accident in water transport.
- 857. Other specified accidents in water transport.
- 858. Water transport accident of unspecified cause.

Aircraft accidents.

- 860. Accident to personnel in military aircraft.
- 861. Injury to occupant by accident to commercial "transport" aircraft.
- 862. Other injury in commercial "transport" aircraft.
- 863. Injury to occupant by accident to other aircraft.
- 864. Aircraft accident at air field to person not in aircraft.
- 865. Aircraft accident elsewhere to person not in aircraft.
- 866. Other and unspecified aircraft accidents.

Accidental poisoning by solid and liquid substances.

- 870. Accidental poisoning by morphine and other opium derivatives.
- 871. Accidental poisoning by barbituric acid and derivatives.
- 872. Accidental poisoning by aspirin and salicylates.
- 873. Accidental poisoning by bromides.
- 874. Accidental poisoning by other analgesic and soporific drugs.
- 875. Accidental poisoning by sulphonamides.
- 876. Accidental poisoning by strychnine.
- 877. Accidental poisoning by belladonna, hyoscine, and atropine.
- 878. Accidental poisoning by other and unspecified drugs.
- 879. Accidental poisoning by noxious foodstuffs.
- 880. Accidental poisoning by alcohol.
- 881. Accidental poisoning by petroleum products.
- 882. Accidental poisoning by industrial solvents.
- 883. Accidental poisoning by corrosive aromatics, acids, and caustic alkalis.
- 884. Accidental poisoning by mercury and its compounds.

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- 885. Accidental poisoning by lead and its compounds.
- 886. Accidental poisoning by arsenic and antimony, and their compounds.
- 887. Accidental poisoning by fluorides.
- 888. Accidental poisoning by other and unspecified solid and liquid substances.

Accidental poisoning by gases and vapours.

- 890. Accidental poisoning by utility (illuminating) gas.
- 891. Accidental poisoning by motor vehicle exhaust gas.
- 892. Accidental poisoning by other carbon monoxide gas.
- 893. Accidental poisoning by cyanide gas.
- 894. Accidental poisoning by other specified gases and vapours.
- 895. Accidental poisoning by unspecified gases and vapours.

Accidental falls.

- 900. Fall on stairs.
- 901. Fall from ladders.
- 902. Other falls from one level to another.
- 903. Fall on same level.
- 904. Unspecified falls.

Other accidents.

- 910. Blow from falling object.
- 911. Accident caused by vehicle.
- 912. Accident caused by machinery.
- 913. Accident caused by cutting and piercing instruments.
- 914. Accident caused by electric current.
- 915. Accident caused by explosion of pressure vessel.
- 916. Accident caused by fire and explosion of combustible material.
- 917. Accident caused by hot substance, corrosive liquid, and steam.
- 918. Accident caused by radiation.
- 919. Accident caused by firearm.
- 920. Foreign body entering eye and adnexa.
- 921. Inhalation and ingestion of food causing obstruction or suffocation.
- 922. Inhalation and ingestion of other object causing obstruction or suffocation.
- 923. Foreign body entering other orifice.
- 924. Accidental mechanical suffocation in bed and cradle.
- 925. Accidental mechanical suffocation in other and unspecified circumstances.
- 926. Lack of care of infants under one year of age.
- 927. Accidents caused by bites and stings of venomous animals and insects.
- 928. Other accidents caused by animals.
- 929. Accidental drowning and submersion.
- 930. High and low air pressure.
- 931. Excessive heat and insolation.
- 932. Excessive cold.
- 933. Hunger, thirst and exposure.
- 934. Cataclysm.
- 935. Lightning.
- 936. Other and unspecified accidents.

CAUSES OF DEATH, ETC.—continued.

Complications due to non-therapeutic medical and surgical procedures.

- 940. Generalized vaccinia following vaccination.
- 941. Post-vaccinal encephalitis.
- 942. Other complications of smallpox vaccination.
- 943. Post-immunization jaundice and hepatitis.
- 944. Other complications of prophylactic inoculation.
- 945. Complications of anaesthesia for non-therapeutic purpose.
- 946. Other complications due to non-therapeutic medical and surgical procedures.

Therapeutic misadventure and late complications of therapeutic procedures.

- 950. Therapeutic misadventure in surgical treatment.
- 951. Therapeutic misadventure in infusion or transfusion.
- 952. Therapeutic misadventure in local applications.
- 953. Therapeutic misadventure in administration of drugs or biologicals.
- 954. Therapeutic misadventure in anaesthesia.
- 955. Other and unspecified therapeutic misadventure.
- 956. Late complication of surgical operation.
- 957. Late complication of amputation stump.
- 958. Late complication of irradiation.
- 959. Late complications of other forms of treatment.

Late effects of injury and poisoning.

- 960. Late effect of motor vehicle accident.
- 961. Late effect of accidental poisoning.
- 962. Late effect of other accidental injury.
- 963. Late effect of self-inflicted injury.
- 964. Late effect of injury purposely inflicted by another person (not in war).
- 965. Late effects of injuries due to war operations.

Suicide and self-inflicted injury.

- 970. Suicide and self-inflicted poisoning by analgesic and soporific substances.
- 971. Suicide and self-inflicted poisoning by other solid and liquid substances.
- 972. Suicide and self-inflicted poisoning by gases in domestic use.
- 973. Suicide and self-inflicted poisoning by other gases.
- 974. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by hanging and strangulation.
- 975. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by submersion (drowning).
- 976. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by firearms and explosives.
- 977. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by cutting and piercing instruments.
- 978. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by jumping from high place.
- 979. Suicide and self-inflicted injury by other and unspecified means.

Homicide and injury purposely inflicted by other persons (not in war).

- 980. Non-accidental poisoning by another person.
- 981. Assault by firearm and explosive.
- 982. Assault by cutting and piercing instruments.

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983. Assault by other means.
 984. Injury by intervention of police.
 985. Execution.

Injury resulting from operations of war.

990. Injury due to war operations by gas and chemicals.
 991. Injury due to war operations by gunshot.
 992. Injury due to war operations by grenade and land mine.
 993. Injury due to war operations by bomb.
 994. Injury due to war operations by marine mine, depth charge, and torpedo.
 995. Injury due to war operations by explosion of artillery shell.
 996. Injury due to war operations by explosion of undetermined origin.
 997. Injury due to war operations by aircraft destruction.
 998. Injury due to war operations by other and unspecified means.
 999. Injury due to war operations but occurring after cessation of hostilities.

LIST OF SYMPTOMATIC AND INDEFINITE TERMS.

NOTE.—Certain unobjectionable terms are included here for special reasons. See also the separate list of terms relating to Maternal Deaths (page 2).

| Symptomatic and Indefinite Terms. | Further information required and notes on the use of certain terms. |
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| Abscess | State cause (especially whether tuberculosis) and situation |
| Acidosis | Disease causing this condition |
| Albuminuria | Disease causing this condition |
| Anaemia | Disease causing this condition. If primary state variety |
| Aneurysm of Aorta | Specify whether syphilitic or non-syphilitic |
| Anorexia | Disease causing this condition |
| Aortitis, arteritis, endarteritis | Was condition due to syphilis ? |
| Atrophy of brain or other organ | Disease causing this condition |
| Bedsores | Condition confining patient to bed |
| Blood poisoning | State variety of toxic condition present (pyaemia, septicaemia, &c.) and cause of this condition |
| Bright's disease | Was it acute or chronic, and if acute what was the cause ? |
| Bronchitis | If tuberculous, this should be stated. State whether acute or chronic |
| Burns | Always state the circumstances |
| Cachexia | Disease causing this condition |
| Caesarean section | Specify cause of operation and any complications |

LIST OF SYMPTOMATIC AND INDEFINITE TERMS—*continued.*

| Symptomatic and Indefinite Terms. | Further information required and notes on the use of certain terms. |
|---|--|
| Cancer, carcinoma .. . | <i>See special instruction concerning malignant neoplasms (page 2)</i> |
| Cancer of uterus .. . | State whether cervix, corpus, &c. |
| Cardiac asthma .. . | |
| Cardiac debility .. . | |
| Cardiac dilation .. . | |
| Cardiac failure .. . | Avoid this term if possible |
| Cardiac paralysis .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Caries .. . | Cause and location of this condition. Was it tuberculous ? |
| Catarrh .. . | Avoid this term if possible |
| Cellulitis .. . | State cause and situation |
| Cerebral sclerosis .. . | If arteriosclerosis specify as such |
| Cerebral softening .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Cerebrospinal meningitis .. . | Cause of this condition, e.g., sepsis (stating source), tuberculosis, meningococcal infection, &c. |
| Childbirth .. . | How this physiological process caused death |
| Cirrhosis of liver .. . | Cause of this condition |
| Cirrhosis of lung .. . | Was the condition tuberculous at time of death ? State its originating cause, if known, e.g., form of dust inhaled |
| Colic .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Collapse .. . | State organ involved and cause of this condition |
| Colloid tumour .. . | Site and nature of tumour (carcinoma, thyroid, &c.) |
| Coma .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Congestion of brain, kidney, liver, lung, or other organ .. . | If the disease amounted to an inflammation, use the appropriate term (lobar-pneumonia, chronic nephritis, enteritis, &c.). Merely passive congestion should not be reported as a cause of death. State the primary cause |
| Convulsions .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Croup .. . | Disease causing this condition (diphtheria, laryngitis, &c.). Avoid using the word croup at all |
| Curvature of spine, angular, lateral, &c. | Cause of this condition |
| Cyanosis .. . | Disease or malformation causing this condition |
| Debility .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Defective development .. . | Cause of this condition. Was the case one of premature birth or of congenital malformation ? |
| Delirium .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Dementia .. . | Disease causing this condition (if primary, specify as such) |

LIST OF SYMPTOMATIC AND INDEFINITE TERMS—*continued.*

| Symptomatic and Indefinite Terms. | Further information required and notes on the use of certain terms. |
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| Dentition, teething .. | Disease causing death |
| Diarrhoea .. | Avoid certifying under this head in cases where the diarrhoea was merely symptomatic |
| Dilation of stomach .. | Symptomatic. What was the cause ? |
| Disease of bowels, brain, heart or other organ .. | State form of disease and whether acute or chronic |
| Dropsy, anasarca, ascites .. | Disease causing this condition |
| Dysentery .. | State type (e.g., amoebic, bacillary, &c.) |
| Dyspepsia .. | Disease causing this condition |
| Dyspnoea .. | Cause of this condition. Was it asthmatic, cardiac, &c. ? |
| Eclampsia .. | Disease causing this condition. Was it puerperal ? |
| Embolism .. | Site and cause of the embolism. If it was puerperal or post-operative this should be stated |
| Encephalitis .. | Cause of this condition, if known |
| Encephalopathy .. | Disease causing this condition |
| Endarteritis .. | Was condition due to syphilis ? |
| Endocarditis .. | Specify whether acute or chronic |
| Endometritis .. | Cause of this condition. Was it gonorrhreal, puerperal, &c. ? |
| Erythema .. | Disease causing this condition |
| Extravastation of urine .. | What was the cause ? If due to a diseased condition, define the primary condition |
| Fever .. | Name the disease (typhoid fever, lobar pneumonia, &c.) in which the "fever" occurs |
| Fits .. | Very indefinite. State whether epilepsy, apoplexy, &c. |
| Fracture .. | Indefinite. State (1) the nature of the violence that produced it; (2) the means of injury |
| Gangrene .. | Disease causing this condition. If due to violence state the means of injury |
| Gastritis, gastric catarrh, acute indigestion .. | These terms should not be loosely used to cover any fatal affection with irritation of stomach |
| Gastro - intestinal atrophy, irritation .. | Avoid using these terms |
| General paralysis, paresis .. | If general paralysis of the insane is meant add the words "of the insane". In other cases state disease causing the condition |
| General sclerosis .. | If arteriosclerosis, specify as such |
| Glioma .. | Specify whether benign or malignant |
| Haematemesis .. | Disease causing this symptom |
| Haemoptysis .. | Disease causing this condition. Was it a case of pulmonary tuberculosis ? |
| Haemorrhage .. | Source and cause of the haemorrhage |

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| Heart disease, heart trouble | The exact form of the cardiac affection (mitral regurgitation, chronic myocarditis, &c.) should be stated |
| Heart failure, cardiac weakness, cardiac asthenia, &c. | If no more definite statement can be furnished the return will be classified under ill-defined diseases, <i>not</i> under heart disease |
| Hemiplegia .. . | Nature, cause, and situation of lesion |
| Hydrocephalus .. . | Cause of this condition, especially if congenital or tuberculous |
| Hypertension .. . | State whether malignant or benign |
| Hypoglycaemia .. . | Cause of this condition. Was it diabetic? |
| Hypostatic pneumonia .. . | Cause of this condition |
| Idiocy, imbecility .. . | State type (e.g., congenital, senile) |
| Inanition .. . | Cause of this condition |
| Infantile asthenia, atrophy, debility or marasmus | Disease causing condition |
| Infantile paralysis .. . | |
| Infection, infectious disease | If this term is used as a synonym of acute anterior poliomyelitis use the latter term. If not, indicate whether spastic or cerebral |
| Insanity .. . | Name the disease, part affected, and nature of infection |
| Jaundice, icterus .. . | Form of insanity and immediate cause of death |
| Laparotomy .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Lumbar abscess .. . | Cause for which operation was performed |
| Malignant disease .. . | Cause and site of origin. Was it tuberculous? Taken as equivalent to cancer. The word "malignant" should never be used in reference to any other disease when such use may cause confusion with cancer. <i>See</i> special instructions concerning malignant neoplasms (page 2) |
| Malnutrition .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Marasmus .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Membranous laryngitis .. . | Was the condition diphtheritic? |
| Meningismus .. . | Disease causing this condition |
| Meningitis .. . | Cause of this condition, e.g., sepsis (stating source), tuberculosis, meningococcal infection, &c. |
| Metritis .. . | Was the condition associated with recent delivery? <i>See</i> Heart failure |
| Myocardial failure .. . | What disease (probably) caused death? |
| Natural causes .. . | Disease causing this condition and part of body affected |
| Necrosis .. . | Acute or chronic? Was it puerperal or scarlatinal? |
| Nephritis .. . | Cause of this condition |
| Neuritis .. . | Cause of this condition |
| Obstruction of bowel or other organ | Cause of this condition. Was it due to cancer? |

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| Oedema of lungs, &c. .. | Usually terminal. Name disease causing this condition |
| Old age, senility .. | Disease causing death |
| Operation .. | Always state the condition for which the operation was performed, and, if possible, the cause of this condition (<i>see page 2</i>) |
| Organic disease of brain, heart or other organ | State nature of disease |
| Papilloma of bladder .. | State whether malignant or benign tumour |
| Paralysis, paraplegia, hemiplegia | Nature, cause and situation of lesion |
| Parametritis, peritonitis, pelvic abscess, &c. | State the cause of this condition, especially if puerperal |
| Parotitis (parotiditis) .. | State definitely whether mumps or not |
| Pemphigus, infantile .. | Specify whether syphilitic or non-syphilitic |
| Perforation or rupture .. | State cause of this condition |
| Phthisis .. | Always state whether tuberculous |
| Pleurisy .. | Cause of this condition |
| Pneumonia .. | State whether lobar- or broncho-pneumonia. Did it follow influenza, measles, or other infectious disease |
| Pneumothorax .. | Disease causing this condition |
| Pregnancy .. | Disease or condition causing death |
| Ptomaine poisoning .. | Restrict the use of this term to food poisoning |
| Puerperal infection .. | State the form of puerperal infection |
| Pulmonary abscess .. | Disease causing this condition. Avoid using this term to describe cases of pulmonary tuberculosis |
| Pyaemia .. | Cause of this condition and part affected. Was it puerperal or traumatic ? |
| Pyrexia, hyperpyrexia .. | Cause of this condition |
| Retropharyngeal abscess .. | Cause of this condition. Was it tuberculous ? |
| Retention of urine .. | Cause of this condition |
| Rheumatic fever .. | Was rheumatic fever active or recrudescient at time of death ? |
| Rheumatism, arthritis, &c. .. | Acute or chronic ? |
| Rodent ulcer .. | State position of ulcer |
| Salpingitis .. | Cause of this condition. Was it puerperal, venereal, &c. ? |
| Sapremia .. | Cause of this condition. Was it puerperal ? |
| Sclerosis .. | Was it sclerosis of the spinal cord or general arteriosclerosis ? |
| Senility .. | Disease causing death |
| Septicaemia, sepsis, &c. .. | Cause of this condition. If localized what part was affected ? Was it puerperal or traumatic ? |
| Softening of the brain .. | Cause of this condition. The term should not be applied to senile dementia nor to general paralysis of the insane |

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| Specific | This will always be understood in the sense of syphilitic |
| Splenomegaly | Disease causing this condition |
| Spondylitis | State whether tuberculous, rheumatic, &c. |
| Stomatitis | Cause of this condition |
| Stricture of intestine, oesophagus, pylorus, &c. | Cause of this condition. Was it cancer † |
| Suppression of urine | Cause of this condition |
| Syncope, cardiac syncope | Cause of this condition |
| Tabes | Tabes dorsalis should not be abbreviated to "tabes" |
| Tachycardia | Cause of this condition |
| Tetany | Cause of this condition |
| Toxaemia | Cause of this condition |
| Tuberculosis | State whether general or local, and, if local, the part affected |
| Typhoid pneumonia | Avoid the use of this term. Was it a case of enteric fever ? |
| Tumour, neoplasm, new growth | Always specify whether malignant or benign and state part affected |
| Ulcer | Situation and cause of ulcer |
| Uraemia | Cause of uraemia. Was it puerperal, post-scarlatinal, chronic Bright's disease, &c. ? |
| Uterine haemorrhage | Cause of the haemorrhage. Was it puerperal ? |
| Valvular disease | Form and site of disease |

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